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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Monday, February 12, 2013 at 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware

Conference Room A, Second Floor of the Cannon Building

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL: March 12, 2013

### **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Craig Metzner, DVM, President Roberta Jackson, VMD Natalie Titus, DVM Lena Corder, Public Member Patricia Ennis, Public Member Lynn Nellius, LVT

# **DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT**

Eileen Kelly, Deputy Attorney General Sandra Wagner, Administrative Specialist III

### **MEMBERS ABSENT**

Rachel Longfellow, LVT, Vice-President

# **CALL TO ORDER**

Dr. Metzner called the meeting to order at 1:05 p.m.

# **REVIEW OF MINUTES**

The Board reviewed the minutes of the January 14, 2013 meeting. Ms. Longfellow made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson to approve the minutes as amended. The motion was unanimously carried.

# **OLD BUSINESS**

### Review of Continuing Education Courses

Dr. Metzner reviewed the submission of the Continuing Education courses from Chi Institute. Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson to approve the following continuing education courses and hours:

#### Chi Institute

Spring 2013 Certified Veterinary Acupuncture Session 1 – 20 hours

Spring 2013 Certified Veterinary Acupuncture Session 2 – 27 hours

Spring 2013 Certified Veterinary Acupuncture Session 3 – 20 hours

Spring 2013 Certified Veterinary Acupuncture Session 4 – 27 hours

Spring 2013 Certified Veterinary Acupuncture Session 5 – 20 hours

Equine: TCVM Diagnostics, Classic Points & Advanced Acupuncture

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Techniques (online) – 8 hours

Equine: TCVM Diagnostics, Classical Points & Advanced Acupuncture

Techniques – 20 hours

Small Animal: TCVM Diagnostics, Classical Points & Advanced Acupuncture

Techniques (online) – 8 hours

Small Animal: TCVM Diagnostics, Classical Points & Advanced Acupuncture

Techniques – 20 hours

Certified Veterinary Food Therapy (online) – 28 hours

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By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Dr. Jackson reviewed the submission of the Continuing Education courses from OnlineCE.com. Dr. Jackson made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner to approve the following continuing education courses:

#### OnlineCE.com

Veterinary Acupuncture 201 – 6 hours

Veterinary Acupuncture 202 – 6 hours

Veterinary Acupuncture 203 – 6 hours

Veterinary Acupuncture 204 – 12 hours

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

# Review of Applications for the VTNE

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Titus to approve the following persons to sit for the VTNE:

Melissa Nelson Lesa Howell Malatesta Jane Cardinali Tracy Damitz Ramona Graziul Leaslie James

Christopher McAndrew
Elizabeth Harris
Cindy McManus
Laurie Corsi
Roger Brounell
Stacie Morneault
Maria Keister
Caroline Bower
Michelle Sylvester
Katherine Losurdo
Kelly West
Jamie Dearden
Catherine Spender

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

#### Review applications for Veterinary Technician Licensure by Examination

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Dr. Titus, to approve the following persons for Veterinary Technician licensure:

Casey Wanros Alison Vanderslice

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# Ratification of Applications for Veterinary Technician Licensure by Examination

Dr. Titus made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to ratify the following persons for veterinary technician licensure by examination:

Kylie Henry Tara Corridori

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# Ratification of Application for Veterinarian Licensure by Reciprocity

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Corder to ratify the following persons for veterinarian licensure by reciprocity:

Jonathan Bergmann Jaclyn Wolinski Christina Dayton-Wall

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

# Review of Application for Veterinarian Licensure by Reinstatement

Dr. Jackson made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner, to approve the following person for reinstatement of veterinarian license:

Jennifer Howell

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

### **Status of Complaints**

Complaint # 28-01-13 – Assigned to Dr. Jackson Complaint # 28-12-11 - Dismissed

### Review of Continuing Education Courses

Dr. Titus made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner, to approve the following continuing education courses:

Advanstar Communications Inc.

CVC Washington, DC – 39 hours for veterinarians 34 hours for veterinary technicians

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Corder, to approve the following continuing education course:

Academy of Veterinary Homeopathy

Homeopathy: An Enduring paradigm – 17 hours

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson, to approve the following continuing education courses:

### Chi Institute

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Dermatology/Oncology/Immune-Medicated Diseases – 29

hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Cardiovascular & Respiratory Disorders – 29 hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Gastrointestinal/Spleen (online) – 32 hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Kidney/Geriatric/Urinary/Reproductive/Herbology (online) –

32 hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Liver/Endocrinology (online) – 32 hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Dermatology/Oncology/ Immune-Medicates Diseases

(online) – 32 hours

Veterinary Herbal Medicine: Cardiovascular & Respiratory Disorders (online) - 32 hours

Veterinary Acupuncture & Herbal Medicine Introduction Small Animal – 7 hours

Veterinary Acupuncture & Herbal medicine Introduction Equine – 7 hours

By unanimous vote, the motion carried.

### **Review of Audits**

The Board reviewed the information from the licensees who were selected for audit for the August 1, 2010 to July 31, 2012 licensure period. Letters were sent to the licensees who needed additional information and certified letters were sent to the licensees who did not

respond giving them 15 days in which to respond. Approval letters will be sent to the licensees who have complied with the audit.

# OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (FOR DISCUSION ONLY)

Dr. Jackson asked Ms. Wagner if it would be possible for the DVMA (Delaware Veterinary Medicine Association) to receive a list of all licensees that have active licenses. Ms. Wagner stated that active veterinarians can be viewed on the website and that if DVMA wanted a roster list they could do so by filling out the appropriate form and submitting the fee. Ms. Wagner explained that the roster list will not give the full addresses or emails of the licensees. Ms. Jackson will convey the message to the DVMA.

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

There was no public comment.

# **NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING**

The next meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, March 12, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. in Conference Room A.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Ennis to adjourn the meeting. The motion was unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Wagner

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Administrative Specialist III

The notes of this meeting are not intended to be a verbatim record of the topics that were presented or discussed. They are for the use of the Board members and the public in supplementing their personal notes and recall for presentations.